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TITLE OF INVENTION: HUMAN ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC TO KDR AND USES THEREOF

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(application filed on or after May 29, 2000)

The Patent Term Adjustment to date is 5 day(s). If the issue fee is paid on the date that is three months after the mailing date of this notice and the patent issues on the Tuesday before the date that is 28 weeks (six and a half months) after the mailing date of this notice, the Patent Term Adjustment will be 5 day(s).

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### **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Erika Senska on 06/06/2008.

The application has been amended as follows:

- Claims 15-17 and 55-66 are amended to recite "An <u>isolated</u> recombinant host cell".
- 2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The declaration under 37 C.F.R rule 1.132 filed 03/03/2008 has been accepted, therefore the 102(a) rejection set forth in the office action mailed 08/31/2007 has been withdrawn. All other rejections have been withdrawn in view of Applicants' arguments and amendments to the claims. The antibodies claimed are free of the prior art.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MEERA NATARAJAN whose telephone number is

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(571)270-3058. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday, 9:30AM-7:00PM, ALT. Friday. EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Larry Helms can be reached on 571-272-0832. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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